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IN RE APPLICATION OF

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FOR: RESERVATION REGISTRATION

APPARATUS METHOD OF

RESERVATION REGISTRATION AND

PROGRAM STORAGE MEDIUM

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Prior to continued examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.